IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Najla GUTHRIE)	Examiner: Timothy E. Betton
1 V 1 N 10/07 500)	TC/Art Unit: 1614
Application No.: 10/697,563	;	
Filed: October 31, 2003	;	Confirmation No. 8415
For: Use of Polymethoxyflavones for Treating Insulin Resistance	;	Communation No. 8413
Docket No.: 21055-77	:)	

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 December 29, 2008

Amendment

Sir:

This communication is being filed in response to the June 27, 2008 Office Action issued in connection with the above-referenced application. A response to the June 27, 2008 Office Action was due September 27, 2008. Accordingly, Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time extending the period for reply from September 27, 2008 to December 27, 2008. As December 27, 2008 fell on a Saturday, this response is being timely filed on Monday, December 29, 2009.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.